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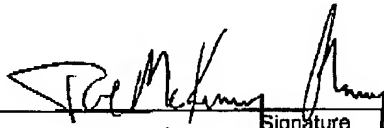
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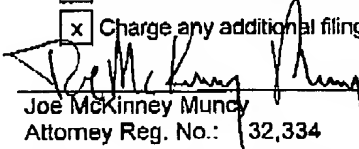
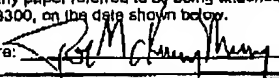
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated November 1, 2006, the following remarks are presented for the above-identified U.S. patent application:

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